Mendon Water Commission Meeting, Tuesday 1 September 2015 Minutes Written by Allan Kent

In attendance: Allan Kent, Dean D'Alessandro, Dwight Watson

Agenda:

Discuss and vote on potential hookup for 49 Milford St.

Accept July 29, 2015 minutes

Discuss potential abatement of late fees for 30 Cape Road*

Vote to seek remaining \$23,312.80 for Hopedale bill of a prior year as an article on the November Special Town Meeting*

* added to agenda less than 48 hours before meeting

Meeting called to order at 7:05 pm.

It was moved, seconded and passed unanimously that we recommend that Hopedale connect 49 Milford St. (aka 49 Milford Rd.) to the Milford St water service and, if needed, that a fire suppression line be provided.

The minutes of the 29 July 2015 meeting were approved by 2 votes and one abstention (member was not present at meeting).

After discussion, it was moved, seconded, and passed unanimously that the late fee abatement request for 30 Cape Rd be denied, since the late fee schedule is on the bill. It was noted that no bank or other payment means is an authorized bill payment acceptance agent for the town and that a bill is not paid until payment is received in the town collector's office.

It was moved, seconded, and passed unanimously that the remaining \$23,312.80 balance for the Hopedale water bill of a prior year (FY ending 30 June 2015) be proposed to be paid in an article on the warrant of the November 2015 Special Town Meeting. Leah and the town administrative assistance will write the article, with any assistance requested by Allan, and have it added to the warrant. We expect to speak to the Finance Committee and at the STM to explain and support the article.

To support the Nov. STM article, we decided to investigate further various possibilities to account for the over usage.

It was moved, seconded, and passed unanimously that the meeting be adjourned at 8:15 pm.